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II. AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following listing of the claims replaces all prior versions and listing of the claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A table comprising:
 - a table top having a top surface and a bottom surface;
 - a mounting structure centrally disposed on the bottom surface of the table top, the mounting structure including a first portion and a second portion;
 - a support assembly at least partially connected to the mounting structure, the support assembly comprising:
 - a first elongated support member attached to the first portion of the mounting structure;
 - a second elongated support member attached to the second portion of the mounting structure, the second support member being spaced apart from the first support member; and
 - a first connecting member connected to the first support member and the second support member; and
 - a frame assembly comprising:
 - a first leg movable between a use position and a storage position
~~connected to the bottom surface of the table top;~~ and
 - a first support brace including having a first portion end and a second portion end, the first portion end being attached to the first leg and the second portion end being attached to the first connecting member of the support

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assembly.

2. (Original) The table as recited in claim 1, wherein the mounting structure comprises a pair of C-shaped mounting ridges formed on the bottom surface of the table top.

3. (Cancelled)

4. (Cancelled)

5. (Currently Amended) The table as recited in claim 1, wherein the ~~support assembly~~ mounting structure is formed integrally with the table top.

6. (Original) The table as recited in claim 1, wherein the table top is formed of blow-molded plastic.

7. (Original) The table as recited in claim 1, wherein the mounting structure is formed of blow-molded plastic.

8. (Cancelled)

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Please add the following new claims:

9. (New) The table as in claim 1, further comprising a second connecting member connected to the first support member and the second support member;

a second leg movable between a use position and a storage position; and

a second support brace including a first portion and a second portion, the first portion being attached to the second leg and the second portion being attached to the second connecting member of the support assembly.

10. (New) A table comprising:

a table top including a top portion and a bottom portion;

a table frame attached to the table top, the table frame including a first elongated frame member and a second elongated frame member;

a first leg assembly attached to the first elongated frame member and the second elongated frame member, the first leg assembly being movable between a use position and a storage position relative to the table top;

a second leg assembly attached to the first elongated frame member and the second elongated frame member, the second leg assembly being movable between a use position and a storage position relative to the table top;

a support assembly at least partially disposed between the first leg assembly and the second leg assembly, the support assembly comprising:

a first elongated support member;

a second elongated support member that is spaced apart from the first

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support member; and

a first connecting member connected to the first support member and the second support member, a portion of the first connecting member being disposed in a first opening of the first elongated support member and a portion of the first connecting member being disposed in a first opening of the second elongated support member; and

a first support brace connected to the first leg assembly and the first connecting member of the support assembly.

11. (New) The table as recited in claim 10, further comprising:

a second connecting member connected to the first support member and the second support member of the support assembly, a portion of the second connecting member being disposed in a second opening of the first elongated support member and a portion of the second connecting member being disposed in a second opening of the second elongated support member; and

a second support brace connected to the second leg assembly and the second connecting member of the support assembly.

12. (New) The table as recited in claim 10, further comprising:

a first mounting structure integrally formed in the bottom portion of the table top, the first elongated support member of the support assembly being connected to the first mounting structure; and

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a second mounting structure integrally formed in the bottom portion of the table top, the second elongated support member of the support assembly being connected to the second mounting structure.

13. (New) A table comprising:

a table top constructed from blow-molded plastic, the table top including an upper portion and a lower portion;

a table frame connected to the table top, the table frame including a first frame member and a second frame member;

a first leg assembly movable between a use position and a storage position relative to the table top;

a second leg assembly movable between a use position and a storage position relative to the table top;

a first mounting structure integrally formed in the lower portion of the table top as part of a unitary, one-piece structure, the first mounting structure including an attachment portion;

a second mounting structure integrally formed in the lower portion of the table top as part of a unitary, one-piece structure, the second mounting structure including an attachment portion;

a support assembly at least partially disposed between the first leg assembly and the second leg assembly, the support assembly comprising:

a first support member connected to the attachment portion of the first

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mounting structure;

a second support member connected to the attachment portion of the second mounting structure;

a first connecting member connected to the first support member and the second support member of the support assembly, a portion of the first connecting member being disposed in a first opening of the first support member and a portion of the first connecting member being disposed in a first opening of the second support member; and

a second connecting member connected to the first support member and the second support member of the support assembly, a portion of the second connecting member being disposed in a second opening of the first support member and a portion of the second connecting member being disposed in a second opening of the second support member;

a first support brace connected to the first leg assembly and the first connecting member of the support assembly; and

a second support brace connected to the second leg assembly and the second connecting member of the support assembly.

14. The table as recited in claim 13, wherein the first support member, the second support member, the first connecting member and the second connecting member are constructed from metal.

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15. The table as recited in claim 13, wherein the first mounting structure has a generally C-shaped configuration with an elongated body, a first end and a second end; and wherein the second mounting structure has a generally C-shaped configuration with an elongated body, a first end and a second end.

16. The table as recited in claim 15, wherein the attachment portion of the first mounting structure includes an inner surface of the elongated body; and

wherein the attachment portion of the second mounting structure includes an inner surface of the elongated body.